

I have been a subscriber to XM Satellite Radio for over a year now, and enjoy it tremendously. The recent addition of weather and traffic channels for various locations around the country have increased the value of the service to me as a consumer. When travelling, I don't need to know what the local over-air stations are in order to get weather and traffic information. At home, I get more comprehensive reports more frequently. I pay for this service, and feel that I am entitled to get a premium service when paying a premium price. The National Association of Broadcasters should not be allowed to dictate what services I am able to buy from a satellite radio provider. The free-market will determine what services people find valuable and worth paying for and which they do not. Also, the free-market will encourage innovation in satellite radio, ensuring constant innovations being available to consumers. I urge you to reject NAB's petition 04-160!